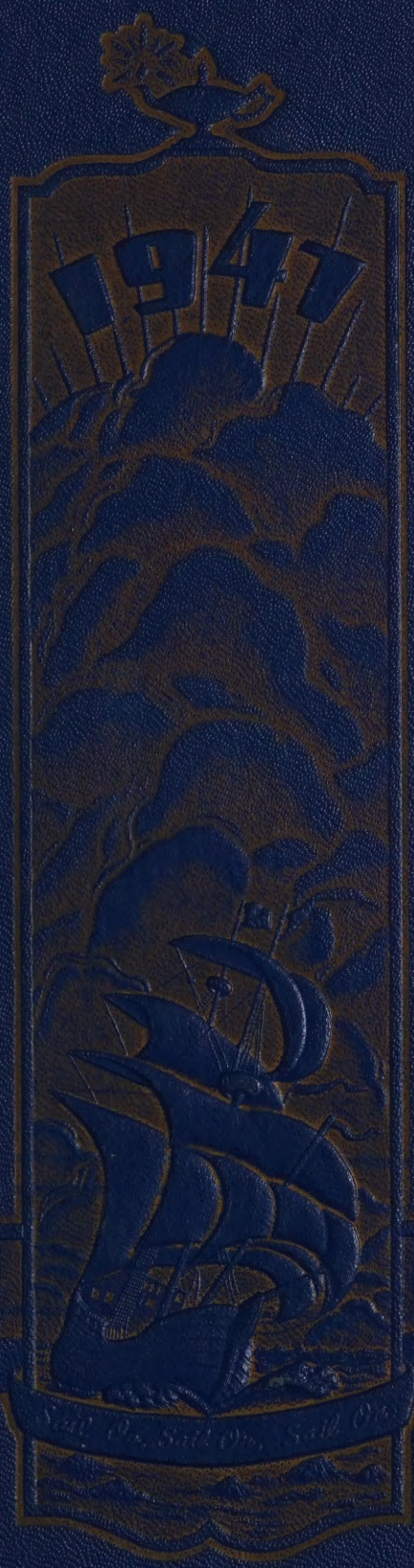

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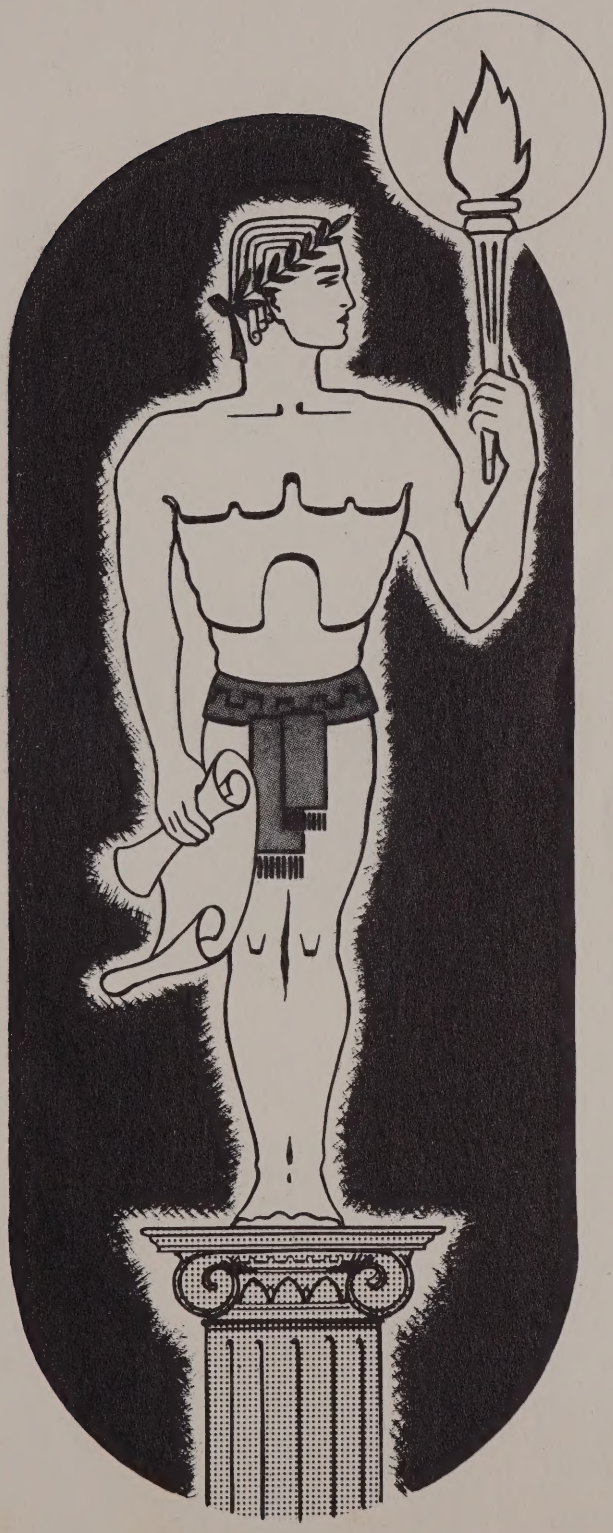
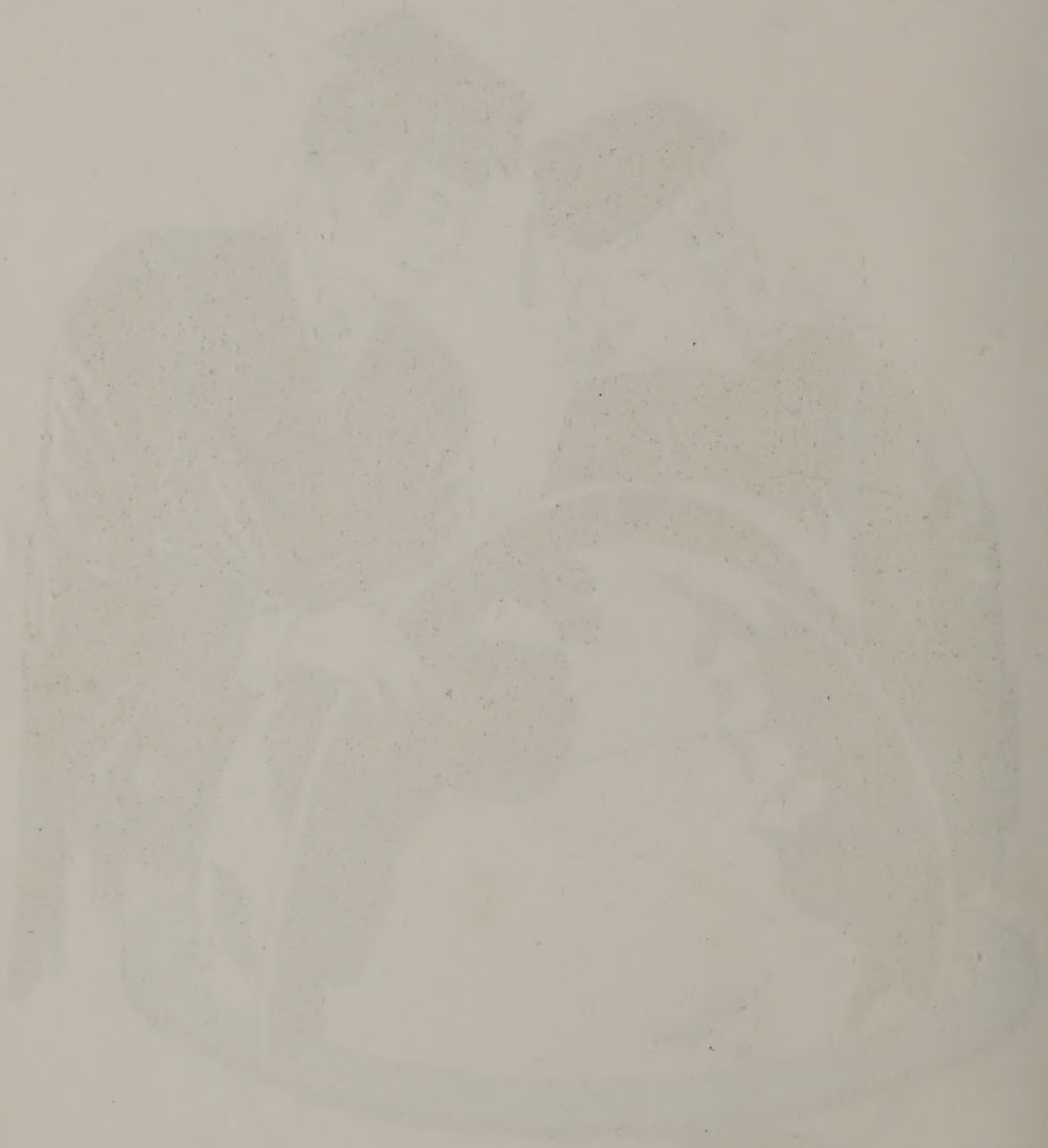
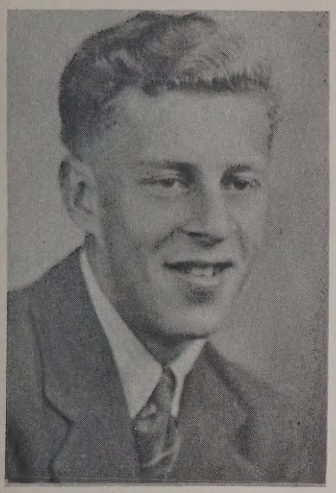


DEDICATION

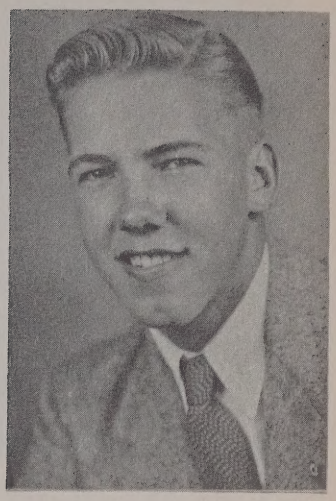
For making science interesting and real to us.
For coaching our boys in athletics.
For being a real friend to each of us.
We the Seniors of 1947 dedicate this annual to
Leslie Woodburn.

SENIORS





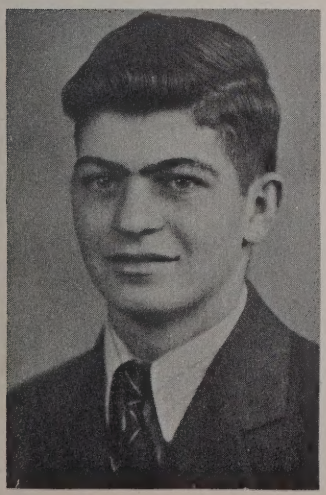
Carl Brown--Class plays 3-4; Varsity B. B. 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; One act plays 3; Reserve B. B. 1.



Robert Fritzsche---Class Plays 3,4; One Act Plays 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3; Brass Ensemble 2,3; Boy's Quartet 2,3; Boy's Glee 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Clev. Ohio Day Chorus 3; County Schol. 3; Varsity B. B. 3,4; Reserve B. B. 1,2; Class Reporter 1,2, 3,4; W. M. A. N.; Operetta 4.

Doris Eldred---Class Plays 3,4; One Act Plays 3; Librarian 2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3; String Ensemble 2,3,4; Clev. Ohio Day Chorus 3; Prince of Peace 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Music Festival 3,4; Operetta 4; Medina Symphony Orchestra 3.

Bert Nettleson---U. S. Navy; Varsity B. B. 2,3,4; Base ball Team 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boy's Glee 1,2,3,4; Sr. Play 4.



Frank Choma---Class Plays 3,4; One Act Plays 3; Reserve B. B. 3; Baseball team 2,3; Boy's Glee 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2, 3,4; German Band 4; Operetta 4.

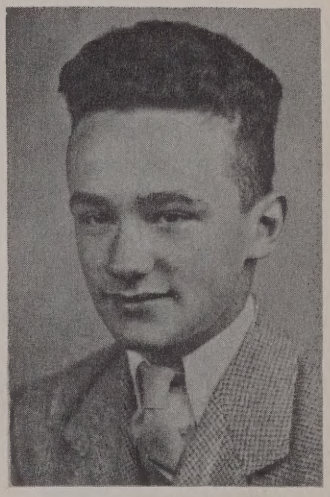
Wilma Kristek---Class Plays 3,4; One Act Plays 3; Girl's Glee 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Operetta 4; W.M. A. N. 3; Social Chairman 2; Softball team 1,2,3; Volleyball 3;

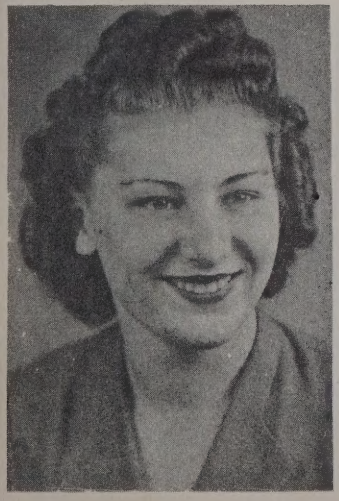
Agnes Hines---Class Plays 3,4; Sr. Play 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3; Clar. Ensemble 2,3; Octet 3; Sextet 2,3; Girl's Glee 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Music Festival 2,3; Reserve Cheerleader 2; Varsity Cheerleader 3; Prince of Peace 3; Y-Teen 1,2,3,4; Operetta 4; Class Treasurer 4; W. M. A. N. 3; District Test 3.

Edna Zemancik---Class Plays 3,4; One Act Plays 3; Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; County Scholarship 3; Volleyball 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Operetta 4; W. M. A. N. 3; Softball 1,2; Social Chairman 3.

Orin Zemancik---Class Plays 3, 4; One Act Plays 3; Manager of Basketball teams 3.

Duane Welch---Class Plays 3, 4; One Act Plays 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,; Boy's Glee Club 3,4; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Reserve Basketball Team 3; Manager of Basketball Team 4.



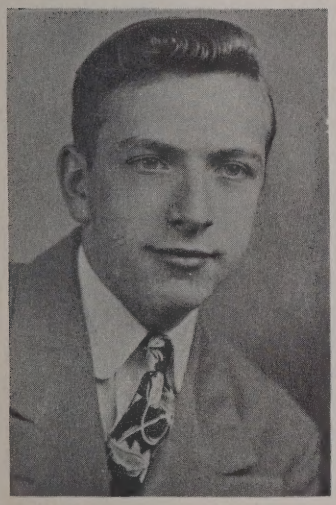


Miriam Rumbough---Class Plays 3,4; One Act Plays 3; Girl's Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Volley ball Team 3; Secretary of Class 1,2,3,4; W. M. A. N. Broadcast 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Soft Ball 1,2,3; Y-Teens Social Chairman 1,2,4; Y-Teens Secretary 3; 4-H 1,2,3,4; 4-H pres. 4.

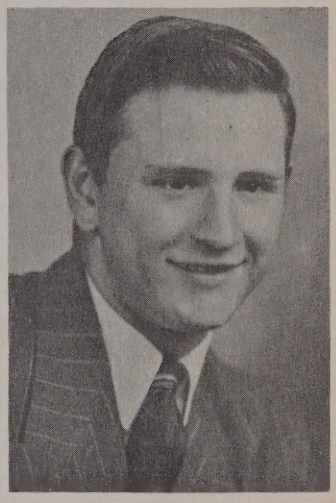
Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; One Act Plays 3; Class Plays 3,4; Volley Team 1; Y. W. C. A. 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4. Lucille Reece.

Wilma Stevenson---Class Plays 3,4; Jr. Class Play 2; One Act Plays 3; Band 1,2, 3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3; Brass Ensemble 2, 3; Sextet 2; Music Festival 2,3; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Scholarship Team3; District test 3; Reserve Cheerleader 2; Varsity Cheerleader 3,4; Prince of Peace 2,3; Y-Teen Pres. 4; Class Pres. 4; Operetta.

Louise Robinett---Band, 3; Orchestra 3; Plays 2,3,4; Y-Teen 4; Mixed Chorus 1; 2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Operetta 3,4; Spring Music F tival 1,2,3.



Bill Wackerman---Class Plays 3,4; One Act Plays 3; Varsity Basketball 3,4; Reserve Basketball 1,2; W. M. A. N. Broadcast 3; Boy's Glee 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Operetta 4.



Clyde Owen--Class Plays 3,4; One Act Plays 3; Varsity Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Pres. of Class 1,2,3; W.M.A.N. Boradcast 3; Boy's Glee 1,2,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,4; Operetta 4.

Lucille Robinett---Girl's Glee 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4; Band 3,4; Orchestra 2,3; Librarian 3; Plays 3;4; Cheerleader 4; Operetta 3,4; Y-Teens 4; Spring Music Festival 1,2,3,.

Dana Null---Class Play 3; One act play 3; Mixed Chorus 2,3; Y-Teens 3.

CLASS HISTORY

Twelve years ago the members of the class of 1947 eagerly started their schooling. Miss Neva Keener, now Mrs. Russell Eshelman, met them at the door and kept them under her guidance for the next two years. Of the present class eight started school here at Homer. They are: Agnes Hines, Miriam Rumbaugh, Wilma Stevenson, Bill Wackerman, Clyde Owen, Bob Fritzche, Frank Choma, and Carl Brown. For the next two years Miss Myrtle Hastings worked to teach us our lessons. In the third grade Bob Skimin joined us from Lodi and in the fourth, Doris Eldred from Lodi and Velma Kristek from Parma Ohio. The next year we felt as if we were big because we had moved up the flight of stairs to Mr. Jeffrey's room. This year we presented the operetta "Jack and the Beanstalk!" We still had Mr. Jeffrey as teacher in the sixth grade and added Duane Welch from Albion to our class. If we felt big when we got into the fifth grade how do you think we felt when we got into the seventh grade and moved to the different rooms and teachers for our studies. In the eighth grade Edna and Orin Zemancik joined our class from Richfield. This year we had Mrs. Schafer as our advisor. The next year we were freshmen, of course, and decided to make money by selling candy bars and pop at school. No new members joined our class but Bob Skimin left us for Lodi at the close of the year. Miss Bernice Kidd, now Mrs. Arthur Farkas, supervised us. As Sophomores we chose Mr. Lenz as our advisor and sold hot dogs and pop at the basketball games. Dana Null decided to come to Homer School from Polk this year. We had a backwards' party which was enjoyed by all at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lenz. In our Junior year, Mr. Lenz was again our advisor. Our class play which was held April 21st at Homer and April 22nd at Albion was directed by Mr. Woodburn. It was entitled "Kicked Out of College". This year our Christmas party was held at Wilma Stevenson's home and the class party, at Lenz's. Jack Roberts from Elyria and Lucille Reece from Akron joined us the first of the year, but Jack left at the end of the school year. We gave the Seniors their banquet in the dining room of John's Place at Lodi, then journeyed to Oberlin to the show. So passed our Junior year. This year of 1946-47 found the Seniors with 18 members. Lucille and Louise Robinette from North Royalton, Dana Null from Ashland, and Bert Nettleton, back from the Navy, found their way to Homer School. We are again under the guidance of Mr. Lenz. In October we loaded into cars and journeyed to the Liberty Studios in Wooster to have our pictures taken. December 6 and 7 we gave our class play entitled "Quiet Everybody" under the direction of Miss Maude Edwards. We are again selling hot dogs and pop at basketball games. We hope to make a trip after Commencement with the proceeds of our sales. We are working hard on our annual and will also have a few members taking part in the operetta "H. M. S. Pinafore". Our class flower is blue and white carnations and our motto, "The door of knowledge is labeled push". So we as the class of 1947 are looking forward to Commencement in May.

--Doris Eldred

NAME	NICKNAME	WEAKNESS	AMBITION
Carl Brown	Brownie	Ford V-8	Farmer
Frank Choma	Zig	Cars	Mechanic
Doris Eldred	Becky	Athletics	Teacher
Robert Fritzsche	Bob	Lucille	Forest Ranger
Agnes Hines	Ag	Andy	Housewife
Velma Kristek	Kristek	Handsome men	Housewife
Bert Nettleton	Knucklehead	Athletics	Coach
Dana Null	Dana	Chuck	Housewife
Clyde Owen	Soupy	Athletics	Coach
Lucille Reece	Lou	Reading	Musician
Louise Robinett	Lou	Leon	Housewife
Lucille Robinett	Lu	Boys of all sorts	Private Sec.
Miriam Rumbaugh	Shorty	Men	Red Cross Nurse
Wilma Stevenson	Willy	Food	Nurse
Bill Wackerman	William C.	Girls	Electrical Eng.
Duane Welch	Toady	Louise Martin	Auto Mechanic
Edna Zemancik	Eddie	Clyde	Coach's Wife
Orin Zemancik	Fatso	Miriam	Mechanic

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

On Friday Dec. 6, and Saturday Dec. 7, 1946, the Senior Class gave their play "Quiet Everybody" in the Homer School Auditorium. The play concerned itself with Mr. Homey who was trying to sell his invention to Mr. Sedgewick of the Grocers Association, but his mischievious brood seemed to always be bungling things. Mr. Homey's bug-collecting uncle also did his share to alienate Mr. Sedgewick, but in the end, Mr. Sedgewick and Mr. Homey made a deal and all ended well. Below is a cast of the characters.

Bridgid	The Homey Maid	Lucille Robinett
Prof. Partridge	Mr. Homey's Uncle	Orin Zemancik
Edward Homey	The Father	Robert Fritzsche
Martha Homey	The Mother	Louise Robinett
Carol Homey	The Daughter	Wilma Stevenson
Alvetta Wingert	A Neighbor	Velma Kristek
Patty Homey	Younger Daughter	Doris Eldred
Mary Jane Graham	Patty's Pal	Edna Zemancik
Suzie Anderson	Patty's Pal	Lucille Reece
Guisseppe	Zoo Keeper	Frank Choma
Tony	Assistant Zoo Keeper	Frank Choma
Dan Homey	Son	Bill Wackerman
Ned Fuller	Dan's Pal	Bert Nettleton
Joe Reade	Dan's Pal	Duane Welch
Jonathan Sedgewick	Rep. of Groceries Ass'n	Clyde Owen
Juanita	Carol's Friend	Agnes Hines
Diane Melville	Carol's Friend	Miriam Rumbaugh

THE WILL

I, Doris, will my position as first chair in string ensemble to "Doc".

We, Willy and Ag, do hereby will our ability to get along with each other for 12 years to "Blondie" and "Grandie".

I, Velma, will my even temper to Bud Spirek.

I, Bert, will my athletic ability to Dean Schempp.

I, Bob, will my good jokes to Ellis Clouse in hopes that he will use them instead of the ones he's been using.

I, Frank, will Rita and Gladys to the 8th grade boys.

We, Edna and Clyde, will our parking places to Shirley and Doug.

I, Lucille Reece, will my ability to make excuses to Jean Allen (Junior).

I, William C. Wackerman, do hereby will my place on the bench to Vance Reece----Keep it warm!!

I, Carl, will my forward position to Danny Juchum.

I, Duane, will my curly hair to Janis Reece.

I, Louise, will my extra pounds to Carroll Brinker.

I, Miriam, will my gym grade to Helen De Long.

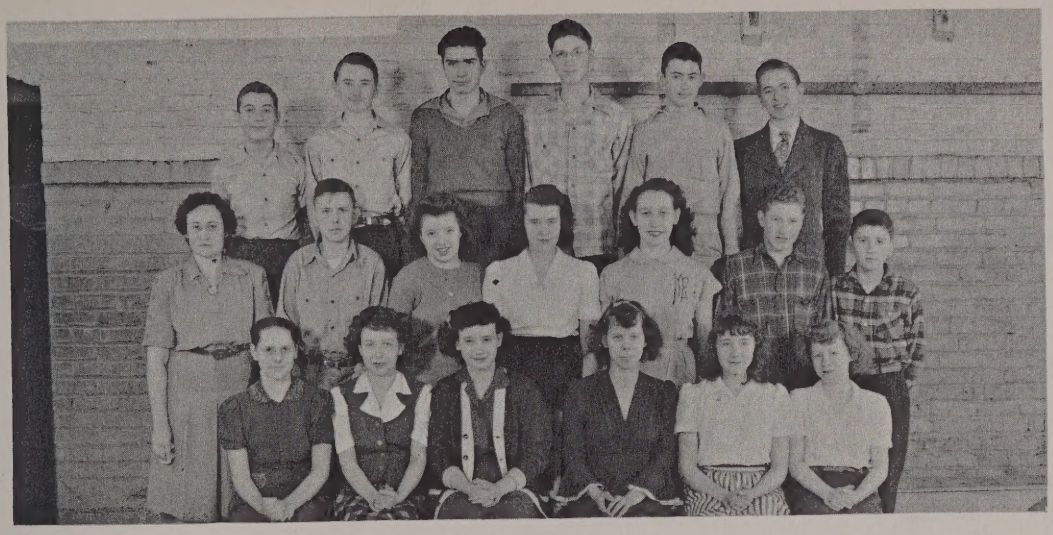
I, Lucille Robinett, will my ability to snare all the good looking boys to Vivian Sargent.

I, Orin, will my tardiness to Joyce La Mar.

I, Dana Null, will my ability to become engaged to Joan Houk who can't make up her mind.

We, the Senior Class, will our money making schemes to the Juniors.

UNDER GRADS



Homer Freshmen

Homer Sophomores

Homer Juniors

JUNIORS

The junior class roll this year includes ten boys and six girls. Election of officers took place at the first class meeting. Those elected were: President- Alan Fritzsche; Vice President- Bud Spirek; Secretary and Treasurer-Ellis Clouse. Mr. Zimmerman was chosen as our advisor.

The first problem was raising money for the junior-senior banquet. We decided to sell Christmas and everyday cards. In November we sponsored "Salt and Peanuts". Both projects were very successful.

The biggest thrill of the year was presenting our class play. It turned out very well.

Now we are looking ahead to next year when we will be the "high and mighty" seniors.

The members are:

1st row	2nd row	3rd row
Jean Allan	Mr. Zimmerman	Warren Bishop
Vivian Sargent	Ellis Clouse	John Havel
Arlene Smith	Alan Fritzsche	Carroll Brinker
Irene Smith	Vance Reece	Vernon Jividen
Grace Mann	Daniel Juchum	Bud Spirek
Joyce La Mar		

SOPHOMORES

The Sophomores this year include fourteen boys and nine girls. Our officers are: President, Douglas Hummel; Vice President, Lois Wilcox, Secretary, Shirley Klienfeld; Treasurer, Olive Eldred.

In October we initiated the Freshman. Everyone had fun, and for once the Freshman had to do what we told them.

Members of our class as they appear in the picture are, Left to Right:

First Row	Second Row	Third Row
Natalie Mantz,	Leslie Woodburn (advisor)	Alan Lang
Helen Brazis,	Bill Friend	Richard Nolt
Lois Wilcox	Douglas Hummel	Melvin Cole
Olive Eldred	Fred Stevenson	LeGrande Foster
Shirley Klienfeld	Joan Houk	John Wall
Jean Ann Summerton,	Helen De Long	David Fritzsche
Belva Bishop	Charles Taffin	John Stine
	Dick Rogers	Dean Schempp
	Garry Badger	Kenneth Gentry

FRESHMAN CLASS NEWS

At the opening of the school year the Freshman class had an enrollment of twenty-one. It took some little time for us to become settled in our new environment, for we were no sooner enrolled in courses than the Sophomores told us what to do and what not to do. We tried to do all the things which we were supposed to, but still we were quite green. The formal initiation took place Oct. 28th but it "wasn't too bad."

Shortly after the opening of school we organized our class. The election resulted as follows: President, Bob Patterson; Vice President, Sue Frank, Secretary, Marlene Inches; Assistant Secretary, Shirley Ryder, Treasurer, Bob Rickel; News Reporter, Ruth Trapp; Class Advisor, Miss Edwards.

Miss Edwards gave a party to the class at Christmas time which we all enjoyed. We wish to thank her and express our appreciation to her for giving us a guiding hand in all of our difficulties and for giving us advice whenever we needed it.

As the days have gone by, the achievements of the ninth grade have been recorded in the annals of the school.

There is a splendid group of athletes in the class. In the Junior High Tournament, which was held at Seville in March, they acquitted themselves commendably. Sue Frank and Melva Leiby acted as cheer leaders. In the cheer leading contest Sue Frank received honorable mention from Homer School and was awarded a token of appreciation in behalf of her good work.

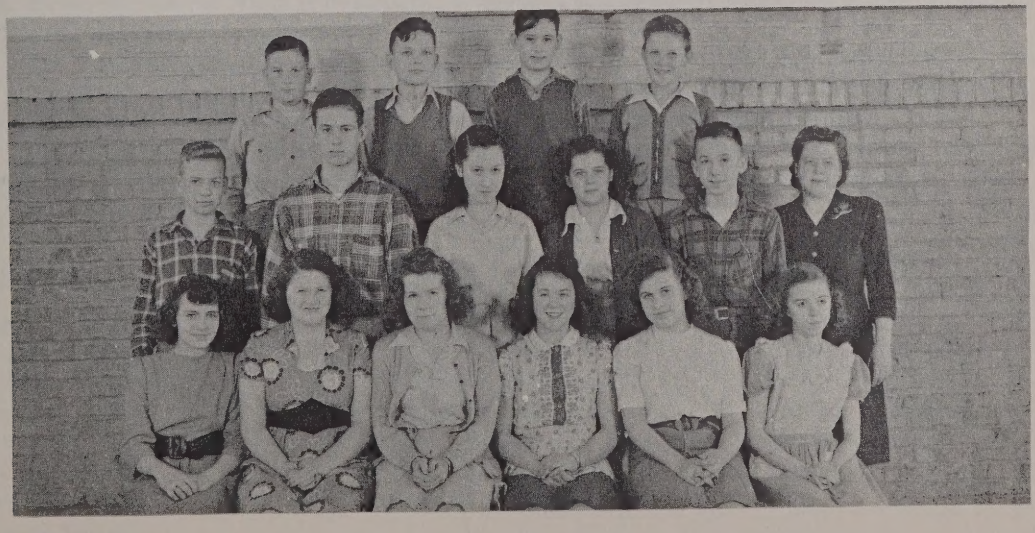
Four members of the class: Roger Blodgett, Elwood Correll, Richard Lenz, and Marlene Inches are members of the school band.

Suffice us to say, that the class will continue to participate in all activities and to uphold the standard of Homer High.

1st row	2nd row	3rd row
Ruth Trapp	Maude Edwards	Cloyd Cole
Sue Frank	Richard Lozier	Robert Patterson
Jean Allen	Phyllis Keener	Raymond Null
Janis Reece	Rozella Keen	Richard Lenz
Shirley Ryder	Marlene Inches	Roger Blogett
Melva Leiby	James Metcalf	Rowan DeCoster
	Elwood Correll	

Homer Grades 5-6

Homer Grade 7



Homer Grade 8

8TH GRADE

President	Ronald Badger
Vice President	Carl Welch
Secretary	Margaret Steward
Advisor	Mrs. Braun

The eighth grade activities this year have included a contest with the seventh grade with the eighth grade winning, helping sell magazines at the beginning of the school year, a Christmas exchange, and a Christmas party held at the home of Marlene Simcox.

Members of the eighth grade also find time to participate in several extra curricular activities, namely:

Junior High Basketball -- Bill Rogers, Ronald Badger and Bill Jeffery

Band -- Bill Rogers, and Bernard Sargent

German Band -- Bill Rogers

The members are as follows:

First row	Second row	Third row
Marlene Simcox	Ronald Badger	Carl Welch
Margaret Stewart	Bill Rogers	Bernard Sargent
Gladys Lance	Winifred Stine	Ronald Friend
Donna Eagle	Betty Allen	John Wuthrich
Rita Shadley	Bill Jeffery	
Lucille Hines		

SEVENTH GRADE CLASS

Fourteen boys and ten girls are enrolled in the seventh grade this year. Election of officers took place at our first class meeting. Those elected were: President, Kenneth Slarb; Vice President, Rosemary Kipliner; Secretary and Treasurer Jo Ann Fenstermaker; Advisor.

The traditional pest hunt was held early in the fall. We are sorry to say that the seventh grade lost, and had to give the eighth grade a party. Everyone had a good time, and we considered our first social event very successful.

In Febraury we put on an assembly; the theme of which was a radio broadcast. Next year we hope to sponsor more activities, and increase our treasury. The members are as follows:

First Row	Second Row	Third Row
Nora Wuthrich	Marvin De Armon	Bill Snoddy
Jo Ann Fenstermaker	Albert Lozier	Edward Brazis
Evelyn Weaver	Clifford Reece	Junior Brown
Dorene Wood	Boyd Massie	Duane Schempp
Beulah Reece	John Juchum	Kenneth Slarb
Virginia Mann	Carl Zemancik	Ronnie Vorhees
Doretta Wood	Lanier McElwee	
Claire Havel		
Phyllis Howe		

5 AND 6 CLASS HISTORY

At the beginning of the year there were seven girls and five boys in the fifth grade, and seven girls and eight boys in the sixth grade, which made fourteen girls and thirteen boys in the 5th and 6th grade, making twenty-seven in all.

George Schlagenhouser was the first to withdraw. He was in the sixth grade and had made his home with Spireks. He left us in October and has since gone to Smithville, Ohio.

One of our fifth grade girls was the next to withdraw. Kathryn Dougherty moved back to Medina in December.

George and Ronald Nettleton moved to Smithville during Christmas vacation so we lost two more from our room, one from each grade.

Carl Weber entered the sixth grade late in December coming from West Salem in Wayne County.

Virginia Roberts had to withdraw in early January because of illness. We hope she will be able to keep up with her studies at home, so she will be able to join us again in September.

We took part in the Red Cross March of Dimes, and Clothing Drive.

We had a Christmas party the 20th of December.

We had a Valentine party the 14th of February.

Our teacher is Mrs. Delcamp, she is a nice teacher.

The members of our class:

1st row	2nd row	3rd row
Shirley Smith	Bobby Jeffery	Darl Keen
Marjorie Hoback	Elden Trapp	David Barnes
Nancy Longsdorf	Patricia Lenz	Donald Clark
Jean McFerren	Virginia Stine	Carl Weber
Vera Steward	Patsy Cayia	Arthur Spellman
Alice Reece	Wilma Nolt	Jimmy Patterson
Mabel Massie	Phyllis Howe	
Teacher, Mrs. Delcamp	Gerald Brubaker	

Homer Grades 1-2

Homer Grades 3-4

Homer German Band

THIRD and FOURTH GRADE

The cheery sound of the school bell on September 9th, 1946 brought twenty-two boys and nineteen girls trooping merrily into the third and fourth grade room. After each child had received his books and the third grade got over their astonishment at their "stack" of books, work began in earnest.

The epidemic of mumps played no favorites. Many of us were victims.

We have been striving to earn our Ohio Reading Circle Certificates and many of us have achieved the goal.

Events of the year:

Assembly Program
Open House
Christmas Party
Valentine Party
Art Exhibit

The enrollment for this year is as follows:

Third Grade

Alton Bishop
Barbara Bricker (withdrawn)
Lorin Brown
Darlene Brubaker
Luella Clark
Ann Fossnacht
Carl Fritzsche
Lynn Grissinger
Sheila Howe
James Hummel
Joyce Ann Leiby
Billy Ling
Patsy Ling
Annie Marty (withdrawn)
Robert Nettleton (withdrawn)
Marlene Peck
Arlene Schempp
James Zemancik
Donald Krager

Fourth Grade

Sally Delcamp
Darrel Fenstermaker
Richard Foster
Phyllis Hoback
Mary Jane Keyser
Jane Lamson
Judy Lamson
Janet Longsdorf
Norman Massie
Louis McDaniel
Audrey McElwee
Donald McElwee
Robert Norris
Charles Ramey
James Reinhardt
Douglas Ryder
Janice Sooy
Robert Stine
James Summerton
David Tate
Robert Tate
Beverly Wolfe (withdrawn)
Gary Workman
Beatrice O'Higgins

Total enrollment 43.

FIRST and SECOND GRADES

On September 10th when the school bell rang eighteen first grade boys and girls were greeted by sixteen second grade boys and girls. We have had very good attendance through out the year.

We have enjoyed the new library books which were given to us.

The high-light of the year was when we were asked to take part in the Christmas program. We all did our best, after which our teacher, Mrs. Owen, gave us a party with a tree and presents for all. We are looking forward to Easter and we are going to put on an assembly program by ourselves.

The enrollment for this year is as follows:

First row

Richard Wuthrich
Harry Leiby
Larry Leiby
Homer Sooy

Second row

Patty Strine
Gertrude Jaeger
Carole Spellman
Wilma Foster
Leilani Simcox
Marilyn Schempp
LindaJo Grissinger
Bernice Trapp

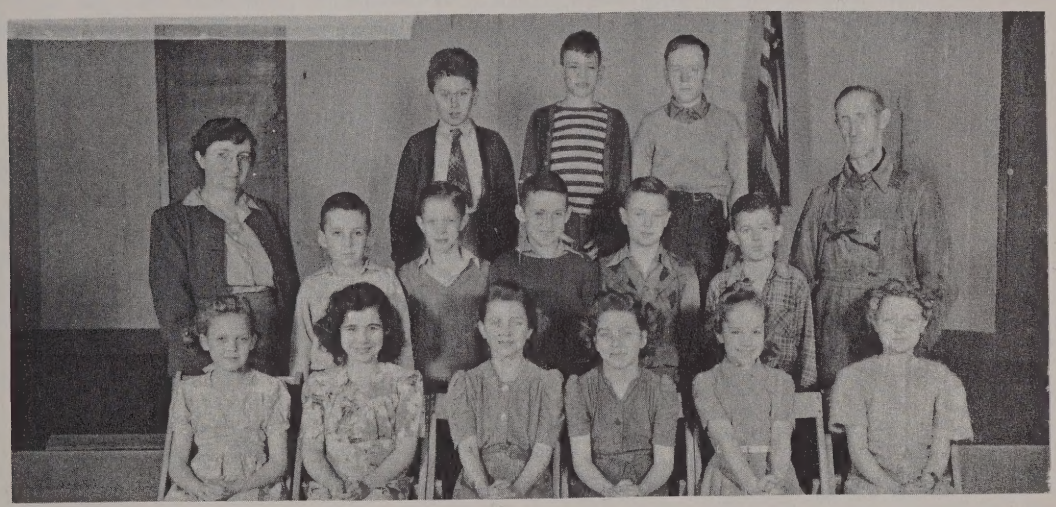
Third row

Patricia Corbin
Nellie Reece
Linda Lou Spellman
Janet Foster
Barbara Hursell
Joyce Roberts
Luelyn Cole
Shirley Schlec
Helen Howe
Betty Brubaker

Fourth row

David Badger
Herman Trapp
Richard Clark
Eugene Nolt
David Gentry
Richard Roberts
Keith Lowe
Bert Jeffery
Daniel Wuthrich

Albion Grades 1-2-3



Albion Grades 4-5-6

Homer Board of Education

The Cooks

4, 5, and 6 --Albion

We have had a very steady enrollment this year, no withdrawals nor admissions since the first day of school. We are glad to report a good attendance. Perhaps the good, hot school lunches have helped in keeping us healthy. We certainly hope they can be continued every year. The new rest rooms are appreciated too.

Intermediate boys and girls who are growning up fast like to belong to clubs. After studying parliamentary practice in the English Workbooks, a club "Help Others" was organized.

An original play, "Halloween Brownies", a short Nativity Play at Christmas time, a health play, "Johnny Meets His Dinner" have been given during the year.

Our special teacners of Bible, art, and music help us to have a well balanced education and we hope we are learning to become good American citizens who get along well with other people.

The members are as follows:

First row	Second row	Third row
Betty Wood	Jimmy McFrederick	Neil Robinett
Ethel Weaver	Bobby Blugh	Earnest Weiler
Geraldine Frank	Roger McFrederick	Virgil Clantz
Fredaline Frank	Raymond Markley	
Betty Conwell	Jimmy Shadlev	
Janis Pettit		

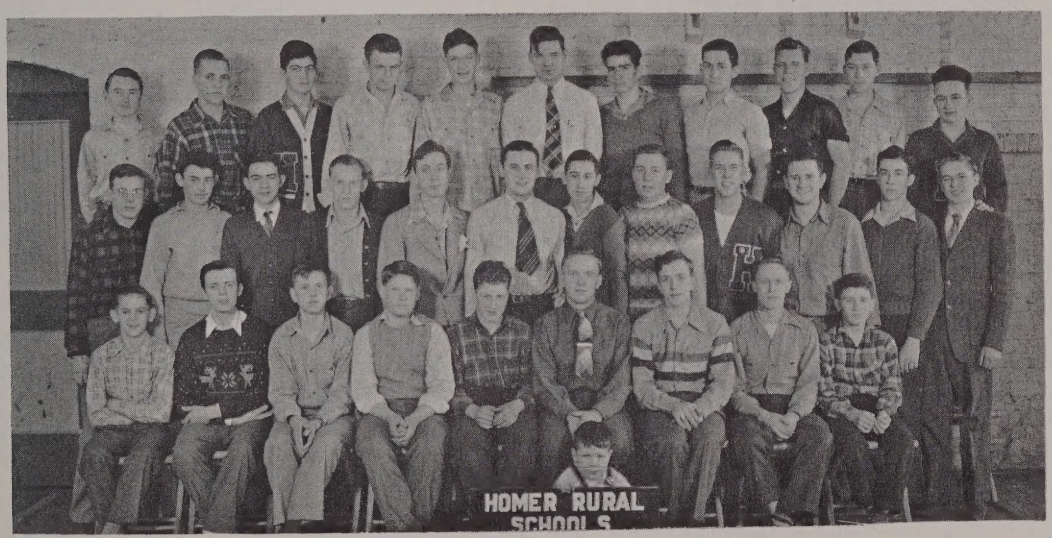
1, 2, 3--Albion

On September 9, 1945 nine bright and happy little boys and girls started their happy school days by entering the first grade at Albion. They are: David Blodgett, Marie Frank, Margaret McClain, Doris Metz, Paul Null, Eva Lee Pettit, Jon David Shadley, David Snoddy and Keith Weaver. In the second grade we have just three bright pupils. They are: Billie Anne Frank, Beverly Metz and Roger Weiler. While our third grade is a very nice class of eight very industrious boys and girls. The pupils in the third grade are: Billy Lance, Patricia Lance, Mary Lou McClain, Kay Frances Messmore, Ernest Lozier, Wayne Null, Howard Weaver and Edwin Wood. This year we have an enrollment of twenty pupils in our primary room at Albion.

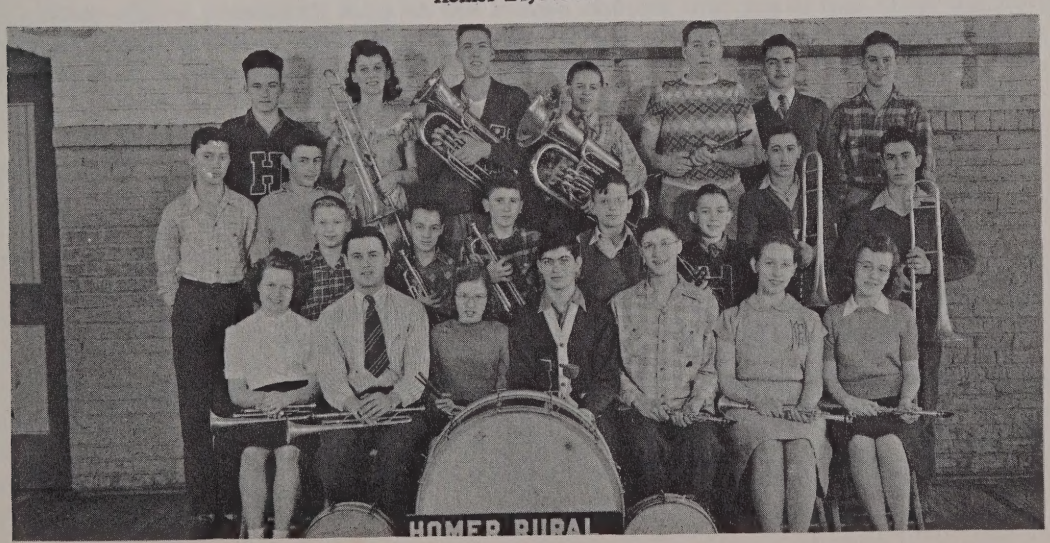
During the past year besides our daily routine of classes the pupils in the primary and grammar rooms have enjoyed a Halloween party, a Christmas party and exchanged names for Christmas. On Valentine Day we had a Valentine box and treat for the pupils. Our primary and grammar rooms presented a forty-five minute school program for the forty seventh Jackson Township Farmer's Institute at Albion this year. We are also very grateful and appreciate the Music, Art, and Bible taught in our school. And we are hoping to finish a successful school year.

ACTIVITIES

Home Girls Glee



Homer Boys Glee



Homer Band

BAND

Twenty-six "musicians" make up our band this year. Eleven trumpets, three trombones, one tuba, one baritone, two mellophones, one saxophone, four clarinets, three drums. Miss Sarah Miner is again our director. We have made several public appearances during the year, among these have been: Senior play, Class Night, Albion Institute, Junior Play and Open House. Instead of having an orchestra we're spending all our time with the band, in order to have a better sounding organization The Band members are as follows:

Duane Welch-Trumpet
Lucille Robinett-Trombone
Robert Fritzsche-Baritone
Alan Lang-Bass
Carroll Brinker-Clarinet
Dean Schempp-Trumpet
Bill Rogers-Snare drum
John Stine-Trumpet
Roger Blodgett-Trumpet
Richard Nolt-Trombone
Dick Rogers-Trombone
Ronald Vorhees -Trumpet
Bill Snoddy-Trumpet
Elwood Correll-Trumpet
Bernard Sergant-Trumpet
Duane Schempp-Trumpet
Wilma Stevenson-Trumpet
Ellis Clouse-Trumpet
Phyllis Howe-Snare drum
Frank Choma-Bass drum
Dick Lenz-Clarinet
Agnes Hines-Clarinet
Marlene Inches-Clarinet

GERMAN BAND

Ahhh---and this year we have a new organization--the little "German Band". It is composed of two trumpets, Clouse and Schempp; Two clarinets, Brinker and Lenz; one trombone, D. Rogers; two drums; B. Rogers and Choma; two horns, Juchum and Hummel; one baritone, Fritzsche; and one tuba, Lang. The specialty of this little group is acting "Nutty" i.e.---telling "corny" jokes and dressing ridiculously. Once in a while some music comes out, but seriously, they're really "on the beam."

MIXED CHORUS

Sixty-three members sang in the mixed chorus this year. Our first public appearance was on Class Night. The operetta "H. H. S. Pinafore" was presented in the spring. The principal characters were:

Ralph-tenor	Ellis Clouse
Josephine-soprano	Olive Eldred
Buttercup-alto	Doris Eldred
Hebe-alto	Lois Wilcox
Deadeye-bass	Daniel Juchum
Sir Joseph-baritone	Alan Fritzsche
Captain-baritone	Robert Fritzsche
Carpenter's mate	Vance Reece
Boatswain-baritone	Carroll Brinker

The story of this operetta is: Ralph falls in love with the Captain's daughter, Josephine, but because of the difference in rank marriage seems impossible. She is also sought in marriage by Sir Joseph but she does not care for him. Eventually she realizes she loves Ralph and so they decide to elope, much to the dismay and disgust of the Captain.

Mixed Chorus (cont)

Buttercup, who is a saleslady, is the key to the entire plot. Just to see what would happen, she mixed up Ralph and the Captain when they were tiny babies. But this all turns out happily--Ralph marries Josephine, Captain marries Buttercup and Joseph marries Hebe.

GLEE CLUBS

Thirty-one members make up the girls glee club while thirty-two are in the boys'. Both groups performed on class night.

BOYS GLEE

1st row	2nd row	3rd row
Alan Lang	Fred Stevenson	Bob Patterson
Bill Friend	Roger Blodgett	Alan Fritzsche
Richard Lozier	Dean Schempp	Frank Choma
Kenneth Gentry	Bert Nettleton	LeGrande Foster
James Metcalf	Melvin Cole	Rick Lenz
Douglas Hummel	Ellis Clouse	John Wall
Bill Wackerman	Richard Nolt	Raymond Null
Bud Spirek	Carroll Brinker	Daniel Juchum
Elwood Correll	Robert Fritzsche	Vance Reece
	Clyde Owen	John Stine
	Dick Rogers	Duane Welch
	Rowan DeCoster	

GIRLS GLEE

1st row	2nd row	3rd row
Sue Frank	Lucille Reece	Natalie Mantz
Melva Leiby	Miriam Rumbaugh	Joyce La Mar
Belva Bishop	Rozella Keen	Janis Reece
Irene Smith	Marlene Inches	Louise Robinett
Arlene Smith	Joan Houk	Olive Eldred
Doris Eldred	Jean Anne Summerton	Velma Kristek
Edna Zemancik	Vivian Sargent	Lois Wilcox
Ruth Trapp	Grace Mann	Lucille Robinett
Wilma Stevenson	Shirley Kleinfeld	Phyllis Keener
	Helen Brazis	Agnes Hines
	Shirley Ryder	Jean Allen

PRINCE OF PEACE DECLAMATION CONTEST

T' e annual Prince of Peace Declamation Contest was held in the School Aud'torium Sunday evening, November 10th. The names of the contestants and the subjects of their declamations were as follows: Joyce La Mar "The American Way"; Joan Houk "The World Will Yet Be Free"; Olive Eldred "The Fire of Prometheus"; Ellis Clouse"Peace in Our Time"; Danie Juchum "The American Way". All of the contestants were coached by Miss Edwards and each one did a very creditable piece of work. Ellis Clouse was awarded first place and the winner of the bronze medal. Olive Eldred won second place and was chosen as alternate..

Early in December, Ellis entered the County Contest and brought back the laurels to Homer School by winning first place in the county and the silver medal. He entered the District Contest which was held in Alliance In January. While not successful in placing in this contest, all who heard him felt that he did an unusually admirable piece of work and should be congratulated upon his splendid achievement.

Y-TEENS

This year the Girl Reserves, by a majority vote became the Y-Teens, the high school group of the Y. W. C. A.

The purpose of Y-Teens is to build a fellowship of women and girls devoted to the task of realizing in our common life those ideals of personal and social living to which we are committed by our faith as Christians. In this endeavor we seek to understand Jesus, to share his love for all people and to grown in the knowledge and love of God.

Two goals are set forth:

1. To grow as a person
2. To grow in friendship--with people of all races, creeds and nationalities.

This year the Y-Teen Club is again carrying out the idea of big and little sisters. Forty-four girls belong to the club. The first meeting of the year was held in October, at which time new members were taken into the club.

At Christmas time we sponsored a guest party at the Methodist church. After a candle light service we went carolling. The party was a huge success; over seventy boys and girls attended, and everyone had a fine time. Another guest party was held in the spring in the form of a penny carnival and dance.

The Y-Teen cabinet is as follows:

President	Wilma Stevenson
Vice President	Agnes Hines
Sec. & Treas.	Shirley Kleinfeld
Soc. Chairman	Miriam Rumbaugh
Service Chairman	Louise Robinett
Program Chairman	Doris Eldred
Devotional Chair.	Lois Wilcox
Song Leader	Joan Houk
Pianist	Olive Eldred
Interclub Council	Wilma Kristek
Advisor	Mrs. Braun

Other members of Y-Teen are:

Lucille Robinette, Lucille Reece, Edna Zemancik, Joyce LaMar, Vivian Sargent, Grace Mann, Natalie Mantz; Jean Ann Summerton, Sue Frank Marlene Inches, Rozella Keen, Phyllis Keener, Melva Lieby, Janis Reece, Shirley Ryder, Jo Ann Fenstermaker, Phyllis Howe, Rose Mary Kiplinger, Virginia Mann, Beulah Reece, Doreen Wood, Doretta Wood, Nora Wuthrich, Betty Allen, Rita Shadley, Gladys Lance, Lucille Hines, Marlene Simcox, Margaret Steward, Winifred Stine.

ATHLETICS

Junior High Basketball Team and Cheerleaders

Reserve Basketball Team and Cheerleaders

Varsity Basketball Team and Cheerleaders

Members of Varsity and Cheerleaders

1st row	2nd row	3rd row
Robert Fritzsche	Leslie Woodburn (coach)	Alan Fritzsche
Carl Brown	Wilma Stevenson	Daniel Juchum
Bert Nettleton	Lucille Robinett	LeGrande Foster
Clyde Owen	Joan Houk	Vance Reece
Bill Wackerman	Lois Wilcox	Bud Spirek
Duane Welch(manager)	Alan Lang (manager)	

Members of Reserve and Cheerleaders

1st row	2nd row
Joyce La Mar	Leslie Woodburn (coach)
Douglad Hummel	Kenneth Gentry
David Fritzsche	John Havel
Dean Schempp	John Stine
Fred Stevenson	Richard Nolt
Dick Rogers	Alan Lang (manager)
Shirley Kleinfeld	

Members of Jr. High Team and Cheerleaders

1st row	2nd row
Melva Lieby	Rowan DeCoster
Elwood Correll	Richard Losier
Ronald Badger	Bob Rickel
Bill Jeffery	Raymond Null
Sue Frank	Bill Rogers
	Roger Blodgett
	Bob Patterson
	Burton Zimmerman (coach)

BASKETBALL

The Homer varsity under the coaching of Mr. Woodburn won 18 games while losing only 3. We won 10 league games and won a trophy for being the class "B" champions.

The reserve won 16 games and lost 3 games. This is what we call a very successful season for the Homer Cavaliers.

VARSITY			RESERVE		
Opponents		Homer	Opponents		Homer
Chatham	51	30	Chatham	8	14
Sullivan	6	58	Sullivan	5	25
Litchfield	30	43	Litchfield	9	60
York	37	45	York	19	32
Granger	16	36	Granger	10	28
Sullivan	19	61	Sullivan	6	29
Congress	35	52	Congress	11	22
Seville	32	47	Seville	12	23
Hinckley	5	85	Hinckley	7	24
Ashland FFA	45	44	Ashland FFA	6	22
Congress	36	51	Congress	6	38
Litchfield	22	50	Litchfield	12	45
Spencer	32	44	Spencer	33	16
York	16	77	York	7	35
Ashland FFA	15	43	Ashland FFA	13	55
Granger	22	37	Granger	11	16
Spencer	32	44	Spencer	26	22
Seville	39	53	Seville	23	22
Hinckley	34	72	Hinckley	15	30
		Tournament			
Brunswick	8	43			
Spencer	38	33			

Junior High Basketball

The Junior High Basketball team had a successful season with five wins and three losses. They show great promise for future years as do their two cheerleaders, Melva and Sue. Bill Rogers and Ronald Badger received recognition for their basketball playing at the tournament.

The scores for the season are as follows:

Homer	20	Congress	21
Homer	21	Chatham	17
Homer	22	Lodi	15
Homer	31	Lodi	16
Homer	33	Congress	15
Homer	9	Wadsworth	33
Homer	23	Chatham	19
Homer	1	Chatham	0

BASEBALL

Homer had a good record last fall in baseball with five wins and two losses. Both losses being to Spencer by a two run margin. This team, if it continues to play as it did in the fall has possiblilities of a good record in the spring baseball tournament. There are four seniors, three juniors and two sophomores.

Following is a record of fall games:

HOMER		OPPONENT
20	Litchfield	4
14	Litchfield	6
2	Spencer	4
11	Spencer	13
30	Sullivan	3
15	Le Roy	3
5	Le Roy	1

The players are:

Carl Brown	first base
Robert Fritzsche	second base
Bert Nettleton	short stop
Dean Schempp	third base
Vance Reece	left field
Daniel Juchum	center field
Douglas Hummel	right field
Le Grande Foster	right field
Bud Spirek	pitcher
Clyde Owen	pitcher
Dick Rogers	catcher

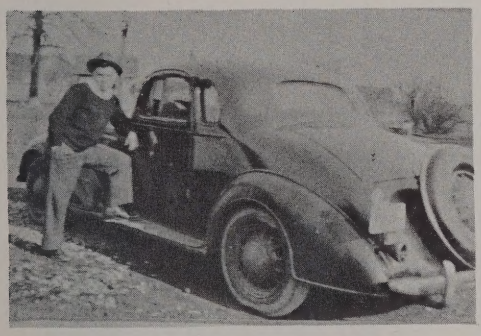
H U M O R

The Institution!

High Jump!

Superman!

Bathing Beauty!

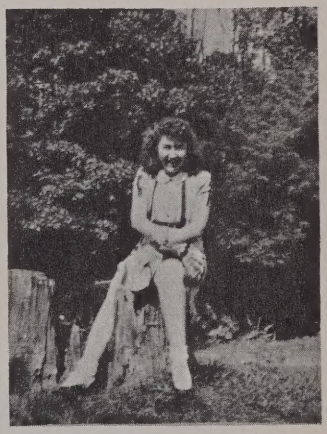


Get a Ford!

Bloomer Girl of "47"

Hula Hula?

Glamour Boy?



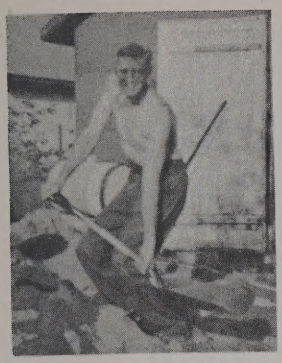
Stump Sitter!

Hard at work!

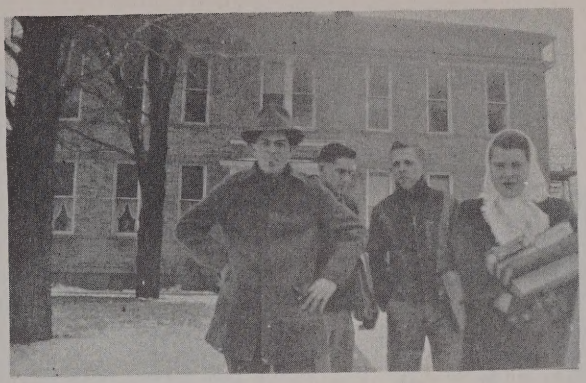
Aint love Grand?

Faithful!

Seniors!



Boss at work



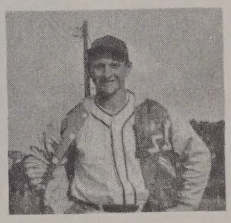
Look at that face.

Casey at the bat.

Nice tree

Ship Ahoy.

Legs



Pro.

2 more points

Loving couple.

FACULTY

ADMINISTRATION

Our faculty for this year is almost fully staffed again after being short during the war years.

Our superintendent, Mr. M. A. Lenz, teaches government, 7th math, Algebra I and psychology.

Miss Muade Edwards has all of the English from grades 7 to 12 and also junior and senior plays and is helping with the operetta.

Mr. Leslie Woodburn, who is our coach, also teaches 7th grade science, physics and American History.

Mr. Zimmerman, teaches bookkeeping, 8th grade science, manual training and is doing a fine job of coaching the junior high basketball team.

Miss Campbell is the Latin, 7th and 8th grade geography and typing instructor.

Mrs. Braun has charge of the Y-Teens, cheerleaders and teaches home economics.

Mrs. Delcamp is teaching the fifth and sixth grades their three R's

Miss Hastings is again teaching the third and fourth grades at Homer.

Mrs. Owen has charge of the first, second grades at Homer.

Mrs. Welch is teaching the first, second and third grades at Albion.

Mrs. Soka instructs the fourth, fifth and sixth grades at Albion.

We have excellent county teachers this year, who give us a taste of the fine arts.

Miss French teaches vocal music and has charge of the operetta "HMS Pinafore" music.

Miss Miner is the instrumental music instructor. She has two bands to direct, as well as instrumental music lessons to give.

Miss Browand teaches art to both the high school and elementary grades.

Rev . Mellick teaches Bible to all the students at both Albion and Homer.

We hope that next year our school will be as well staffed as it was this year.

Cafeteria

This year Homer and Albion both had cafeterias. With help from the State Department of School Lunches new equipment was procured to carry out this project. An electric stove, refrigerator, hot water heater, a water softener, stainless steel trays and cutlery were purchased by the board of education.

A great deal of work is envolved in cooking and serving meals to over two hundred students daily. Mrs. Vorhees and Mrs. Spellman were head cooks at Homer, and Miss Margaret Sooy was head cook at Albion. Each day three mothers came in to help cook at Homer, and one mother to hlep at Albion. We want to thank all of the parents who helped make the cafeteria a success this year by donation of food and contributing their time and energy to help serve in the cafeteria.

Board of Education

The members of the Board of Education for Homer Rural School consist of Mr. Frank Sooy, president, George Fritzsche, vice president, Mr. Arthur Stevenson, clerk, Mr. Howard Snoddy, Mr. Laurence Jeffery, and Mr. Laurence Wandel.

We the seniors of Homer High think we are fotunate in having a school board that understands the needs and problems of the students in school. We appreciate their interest in our activities and the providing of busses for school and extra curricular activities and the use of the Albion and Homer school buildings for youth council and class parties.

We want to thank the Board of Education and our parents, the tax payers for passing the extra two mill levy which enables us to keep our excellent teachers and janitors, and to keep our equipment in good shape and well supplied with new books.

Through the Year

The school year of 1946-47 began with the 4-H exhibit at the Medina County Fair. The next week school officially opened. The first events were the baseball games after school. Our team was very successful, losing only two games.

October was a busy month. The Seniors presented an assembly program at the first of the month, and the third and fourth grades gave a Hallowe'en assembly at Hallowe'en time. Election of cheerleaders, class night, a high school party, Freshman initiation, and the teacher's meeting in Cleveland also took place during October.

Basketball season came to the forefront in November and continued to hold the students' interest until its close in February. The highlight of the month was, of course, Thanksgiving vacation.

December 6th and 7th the Seniors presented their play "Quiet Everyone". The play went well although the lion and shotgun frightened a few in the audience. The remainder of the month was devoted to planning various Christmas parties. The Y-Teens sponsored a guest party at the Methodist Church, and each class had its own Christmas party. Our Christmas vacation was lengthened by two days thanks to the weather man who gave us a surplus of ice and snow.

January brought mid-semester exams. After those unpleasant ordeals were over, we sank back into school routine again. Two new courses were added to the cirriculum--Home Nursing taught by Mrs. Ross from Spencer, and Aircraft Math taught by Mr. Lenz. Ashland College's G. I. Quartet presented a program which featured the classic "Open the Door Richard."

February is always the month in which the sole interest is the tournament and cheerleading contest. Our team defeated Brunswick easily the first night, but Spencer spelled our doom in the next round. However; Clyde Owen, Bert Nettleton, and Carl Brown received recognition for their basketball playing, and Wilma Stevenson received recognition in the cheerleading contest. The Seniors also took a day off to attend a vocational guidance meeting in Medina. The entire high school attended the Albion Institute, at which both bands played and Albion school presented a program.

In March the interest was still basketball. The Junior High Basketball Tournament was held at Seville. The first game was forfeited by Chatham, but the next game Homer was defeated by Wadsworth. Sue Frank received honorable mention in the cheerleading contest. Mr. Fish, the joy bell ringer, entertained the student body and teachers with his bell music.

The operetta "H. M. S. Pinafore" was presented by the Mixed Chorus in April. The first and second grades gave an Easter Chapel and the fifth and sixth grades had charge of the Arbor Day assembly. The Easter vacation helped pep up the students, after a long seige of school with no days off. The junior play was the climax of the month.

Then May, the busiest and most thrilling month of the whole year. Open House, Arts Achievement Day at Seville, Senior sneak, Junior-Senior banquet, Alumni banquets at Albion and Homer, Baccalaureate, and Commencement were the big events. Then of course, final exams, and the last day of school. The Seniors left for their long dreamed of trip, and memories were all that remained inside the closed doors of Homer School.

THANKS TO--

Mr. Lenz, who has been our class advisor for three years, and helped us edit the annual.

The faculty for the lessons they have taught us, and the friendship we have enjoyed with them.

The board of education for providing us with with all those little and big things which have helped us get an education.

The cooks for the good meals they have served us during the year.

Our custodians, Edwin Brinker and Frank Keen, for keeping the buildings clean and comfortable, and caring for the school grounds.

Burton Zimmerman for taking some pictures for the annual.

Our parents, who have guided and encouraged us throughout our school career and who have oked our grade cards, good and bad.

Our school friends who have taught us the value of friendship and teamwork.

The school bus drivers who have so faithfully fulfilled their responsibilities by driving us to and from school and to the school activities safely.

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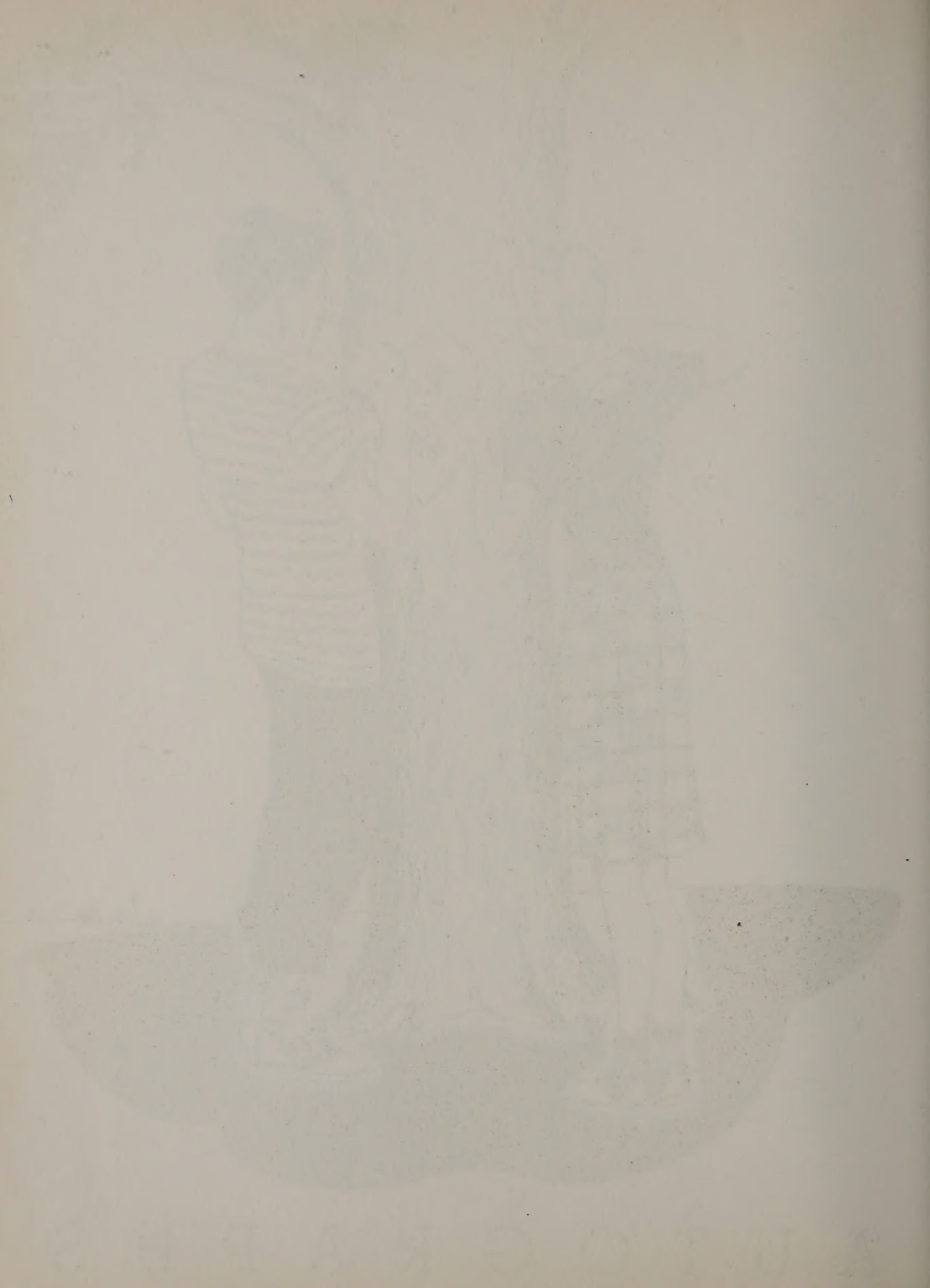

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